BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

February 25, 2005

IN RE:)	
PETITION OF CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY OF TENNESSEE, LLC FOR EXEMPTION UNDER)	DOCKET NO. 03-00211
TENN. CODE ANN. § 65-5-208(c))	

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE REBUTTAL TESTIMONY AND MODIFYING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This matter is before the Hearing Officer upon the request of Ben Lomand Communications, Inc. ("Ben Lomand") for an extension of time to file rebuttal testimony in this matter and to modify the procedural schedule issued on January 21, 2005. In a letter filed on February 24, 2005, Ben Lomand requests that the parties be given an additional two (2) weeks, or until March 14, 2005, to file rebuttal testimony and that the status conference scheduled for March 9, 2005 be rescheduled for March 23, 2005 or another time convenient for the parties and the Authority. Counsel for Ben Lomand indicates that counsel for Citizens Telecommunications Company of Tennessee, LLC has no objection to the request.

The Hearing Officer finds that the request for additional time is reasonable and will not significantly delay the proceedings in this docket. Therefore, the procedural schedule is modified as follows:

March 14, 2005

Rebuttal Testimony due no later than 2:00 p.m.

March 23, 2005

Status Conference at 2:00 p.m. to discuss establishment of the remainder of the procedural schedule, including a determination of the type of proceeding before the panel, a date for the proceeding and a briefing schedule

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Ben Lomand's request for an extension of time is granted and the procedural schedule is modified as stated herein.

Jean A. Stone, Counsel

as Hearing Officer